

# TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

## **NOTICE OF STATUS CONFERENCE**

**DOCKET:** 97-00309

**COMPANY NAME:** BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

**PETITIONERS' ATTORNEY:** Guy Hicks

**IN RE:** BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Entry Into Long Distance (InterLATA) Service in Tennessee Pursuant to Section 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996

**DATE:** January 12, 1998

This Status Conference, scheduled for Thursday, January 22, 1998, at 9:00 a.m., in the above captioned proceeding, is being scheduled by Notice for the purpose of:

- 1) *Determining a statement of issues.*
- 2) *Determining the need to rebrief the Track A vs. Track B issue.*
- 3) *Revisiting, if necessary, the previously established schedule and hearing date.*
- 4) *Determining the impact on this proceeding from the delay in the Permanent Price Docket (97-01262).*
- 5) *Consideration of other issues as requested by the parties.*

The Status Conference is being conducted pursuant to T.C.A. 4-5-306, before Pre-Hearing Officer, Melvin Malone in the Hearing Room at the Tennessee Regulatory Authority, 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, TN. The parties are requested to submit a statement of the issues or other items for discussion relevant to this proceeding to the Pre-Hearing Officer not later than January 20, 1998, for inclusion in the Pre-Hearing Agenda. All parties are entitled to be represented by counsel.

Any motion to change the date of this hearing must be made in writing, and filed with the office of the Executive Secretary of the Authority. Copies of the motion must be served on all parties.

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**FOR THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY:**



David Waddell, Executive Secretary

cc: Parties of Record  
Interested Parties